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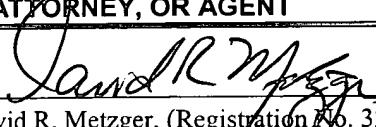
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 The amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(b) is included in the enclosed check.  
 The enclosed credit card payment form to charge the amount of \$110 covers the total claim fee and other applicable fees.  
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee and any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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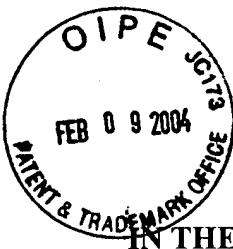
  
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Invention: SOLID ELECTROLYTE BATTERY AND  
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**RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 20, 2003 OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2003.  
Applicants respectfully request amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and  
allowance of the pending claims in view of the remarks presented below.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** addressing each of the Examiner's dispositions begin on page 7 of this paper.

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